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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS.

IMPERIAL INDIAN RELIEF FUND.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

Simla, the 28th May 1918.

The total sum received by way of subscriptions to the Central Imperial Indian Relief Fund from the date of its inception up to the 30th April 1918 was Rs. 1,54,18,000. The interest upon the sums placed at fixed deposit amounted to Rs. 8,57,000, bringing the total income of the Central Fund up to Rs. 1,62,75,000. The expenditure up to the same date amounted to Rs. 80,94,000, the principal items being:—

	Rs.
Sums placed at the disposal of Divisional and Brigade Area Committees for the relief of distress among the families of soldiers at the front and for the payment of donations to men who have been permanently disabled and to the heirs of deceased soldiers and followers	58,81,000*
Grants-in-aid to the Soldiers and Sailors' Families Association	3,50,000
Extra medical comforts for the sick and wounded ...	3,70,000
Donations to the Officers' Families Fund in England ...	2,91,000
Donations to the Indian Soldiers' Fund	1,00,000
Donations to the Indian Comforts for Troops Fund ...	3,74,000
Donations to the St. John Ambulance Association ...	64,000
Compensation paid to officers and crews of vessels sunk by the enemy	1,03,000
Assistance to convalescent officers	5,13,000
Donation to the Queen Mary's Technical School for disabled Indian Soldiers, Bombay	20,000
Relief to the families of Postal and Telegraph employés proceeded on active service	13,000

The balance in hand of the Central Fund on the 30th April 1918 was Rs. 81,81,000.

2. During April 1918, the subscriptions received by the Central Fund amounted to Rs. 22,253, while the disbursements during the same period amounted to Rs. 1,14,148.

* Of this amount about Rs. 22½ lakhs have been expended on the grant of relief to men returned from the front proceeding on sick leave to their homes. This concession has since been withdrawn.

MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE, MYSORE.

Notification dated 24th June 1918.

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Principal, Maharaja's College, Mysore, up to 15th July 1918, for the supply of the undermentioned articles of furniture for the College.

1. Tenders should be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of furniture for the College."

2. Tenders should be accompanied by a statement of rates and also the period within which the furniture can be supplied.

3. Articles should be made of fine, well-seasoned teak-wood.

They should be delivered at the Maharaja's College, Mysore.

4. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes.

5. It is very essential that the articles should be supplied within the time prescribed.

6. The name of the successful tenderer will be published at the Principal's Office on the 16th July 1918.

7. The deposit amounts of the rejected tenderers will be returned on or after the 17th July.

25 (*twenty-five*) teak-wood desks, sloping on both sides, measuring 8 feet long, 3 feet wide and 2 feet, 10 in. high. (Same as used in the Public Library, Mysore. Sketches of the same may be inspected at the office.)

50 (*fifty*) teak-wood benches with back rest, measuring 8 ft. long, 1½ feet wide, 3 feet high (including the height of the back rest). (Same as used in the Public Library, Mysore. Sketches may be inspected at the office.)

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